

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

IN THE SPECIFICATION

On page 8, line 11, please replace the original paragraph with the following amended paragraph:

-- FIG. 15 (SEQ ID NO: 1) is a diagram showing a secondary cleavage site of Al $\alpha$  determined by the MALDI-TOF/MS method.--

On page 8, line 5, please replace the original paragraph with the following amended paragraph:

-- FIG. 16 (SEQ ID NO: 13) is a diagram showing a cleavage site of human APP695.--

On page 8, line 8, please replace the original paragraph with the following amended paragraph:

-- FIG. 18 (SEQ ID NO: 1) is a diagram showing cleavage sites of Al $\alpha$ .--

On page 8, line 16, please replace the original paragraph with the following amended paragraph:

-- FIG. 22 (SEQ ID NO: 1) is a diagram showing cleavage sites of  $\beta$ -Alc.--

On page 8, line 17, please replace the original paragraph with the following amended paragraph:

--FIG. 23 (SEQ ID NO: 1) is a diagram schematically showing molecular species of  $\beta$ -Alc.--

**AMENDMENTS TO THE SEQUENCE LISTING**

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Please replace the Sequence Listing of record with the Substitute Sequence Listing enclosed herewith.